

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

JAMAL J ELLIS,

Plaintiff,

v.

WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS et al.,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 3:15-CV-05420-BHS-DWC

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

The Clerk's Office has attempted to serve Defendant Barbara Brannen by mail. Dkts. 9, 14. However, a return of service sent to Defendant Brannen was returned to the Court marked "RTS [return to sender]. Not here. Not in Outlook." Dkt. 14.

On December 16, 2015, the Court ordered Plaintiff to provide the complete service address for unserved Defendant Brannen by January 19, 2016. Dkt. 22. To date, Plaintiff has failed to file a service address for Defendant Brannen and failed to comply with the Court's order.

1 The Court orders Plaintiff to show cause why this action should not be dismissed against  
2 unserved Defendant Brannen without prejudice for failure to prosecute and failure to comply  
3 with a court order. If Plaintiff does not have a response to this order filed by February 28, 2016,<sup>1</sup>  
4 the undersigned will recommend dismissal of this action against the unserved Defendant.

5 Dated this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

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23 <sup>1</sup> This action was filed October 28, 2015 and plaintiff has until February 28, 2016 to  
24 provide the Court with service addresses. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m)(120 days to perfect service).